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09/943,664

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August 30, 2001

For:

SECRETED AND TRANSMEMBRANE POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS

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10466/127

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 - MS Non-Fee Amendment Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 17, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks / Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.